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"I want to see a Phonograph in every home"

We are here to see that every home has one. It doesn't matter what your taste in music is, whether you prefer Grand Opera or rag, the new Edison Phonograph is the one for you. You can enjoy just your particular kind of music just when you want it, right in your own home, with an Edison Phonograph.

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has undergone a complete renovation and will be run on the English and French systems. Terms moderate.

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If you can't get what you want in Coleman

A phone order to either Frank or Blainmore will buy goods by the next train. Coleman people know the extent of our stock. "Nuff said"

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Terms To Suit Purchaser

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Ice Cream Sodas of every flavor

Soft Drinks and Fruits

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Job-Work

McLAREN'S MILL IS REDUCED TO ASHES

May Have Been Work of an Incendiary--Valued \$25,000--
Will Probably Rebuild

McLaren's saw mill, the most prominent standing landmark between Coleman and Blairmore, was burned to the ground last Sunday morning shortly after 6 o'clock. The night watchman had barely retired from his duties when he discovered the building entirely enveloped in flames. When the watchman had left there were no fires in the furnaces.

The origin of the fire is now believed to be due to incendiary.

The lumbermen assisted greatly in the lumber piled in the yards. The total loss is \$25,000 with \$5,000 insurance. The manager, J. A. Alexander, lost \$300 worth of tools, and George Morrison also lost a number of tools.

The news of the fire was immediately wired to senator Peter McLaren at his home in Perth, Ontario. It is understood that the mill will be immediately rebuilt.

New Newspaper for the Pass

The Slavok Canadie will make its first appearance next Wednesday. The Slavok Canadie will be owned by prominent Slavonians in the Pass and will be edited by Andro Lukac of New Michel.

The Forthville Job Print and News Co. have received the contract for publishing the paper for one year. J. W. Sadler has been appointed chief representative for the Western provinces.

The Slavok Canadie will be published in three languages viz: Slavish, Polish and Italian. The head office will be in the Cameron block facing the south.

Wedding Bells

The Central Baptist Church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday afternoon when Miss Alice Harrison, daughter of J. Harrison of Blairmore and F. Gilroy one of the proprietors of the Unique Barber Shop, were united in the bonds of holy matrimony. The marriage service was performed by the Rev. J. Hunter M. A. The bride was dressed in white silk and the four bridesmaids little Miss Harrison, Miss Blanch Pinkney and the Misses Kidd were all dressed in blue.

W. Rose partner of the bridegroom was groomsmen. A reception was afterwards given by Mrs. Kidd to the bride and groom and a large number of guests. Among the guests were:

Justice and Mrs. Pinkney, Justice and Mrs. Gresham, Mr. and Mrs. Wolstenholme, Mr. and Mrs. Cheshire, Rev. and Mrs. Hunter, W. Adams, J. McLean, Pastor Armstrong of S. Pincher and many others.

The happy couple left on the flyer for eastern points. A large number accompanied them to the station, the couple leaving amidst a shower of rice and good wishes.

The Co-Op are selling men's summer vests at \$1.50. Alpaca summer coats at \$1.50.

The Co-Op store owing to stocktaking are just going to give you the best value you ever had.

Government Road to B. C. is Nearing Completion

Road foreman McIntyre and his men are rapidly pushing forward the government road from Coleman to Crow's Nest, B.C. The roadway has been graded and gravelled and is now in excellent condition. The road is now completed to Sentinel and will be finished in one month.

For some time the board of trade and this weekly have been agitating for this road, and the government is to be congratulated upon for constructing this provincial highway.



McLAREN'S MILL.

Which was totally destroyed by fire on Sunday morning last.

Coleman Brieflets

Born--To Mr. and Mrs. R. Sherwood on July 18th, a son.

W. J. Barrett was in Coleman on Monday looking round.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Farmer of Frank were in Coleman Tuesday evening.

Miss Ritchie of McLaren was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Diney on Wednesday.

Miss Smith who was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Scott has returned to Lethbridge.

Mrs. Rose who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Watson has returned to Lethbridge.

The man who was shot by Const. Irvine at Frank is reported as getting along nicely at the hospital.

J. W. Gresham of Frank was in town on Saturday evening last, accompanied by A. J. Johnson.

The Co-operative store have had to postpone their stocktaking on account of the great rush of business.

J. Arthur Jolly is acting station master at present while T. B. Smith is attending his father's funeral at Barrie, Ontario.

A large consignment of caskets have arrived at the Davies' undertaking parlors. Mr. Davies caters to all the towns of the Pass.

J. D. S. Barrett was given the honorary degree at the I.O.O.F. on Monday night. R. R. Webb will follow suit next Monday night.

B. F. Lester and Wm. Robson of Rosmer were in town on Monday. They were greatly impressed by the tremendous growth of Coleman in the last three years.

J. D. S. Barrett returned from a two weeks' visit to Winnipeg on Sunday morning last. Mr. Barrett reports that the fair was a great success and well attended.

The lawn social given by the ladies Auxiliary of St. Albans church in the skating rink was a great success. The Coleman band interpreted the evening program with lively music.

Messrs. Haldane and Macleod of Nelson B.C. were on a tour of inspection in the Crow's Nest Pass last week. Mr. Haldane is General Freight Agent and Mr. Macleod Traveling Freight Agent.

Lennie Campbell, president of the McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke Co., has just made an inspection of the company's workings at Coleman. On a recent day the company mined 415 tons of coal and expect the output to steadily grow. Nelson News.

C.P.R. Enlarge Yards-- A Steam Shovel and 150 Men at Work

Owing to the increased amount of shipping done at Coleman the C. P. R. have found it necessary to enlarge their yards at this point. Over two miles of switch yards will be constructed during the next three weeks. The eastern boundary of the yard will be extended eastward half a mile by filling in the present steep embankment.

The expenditure involved amounts to over \$11,500 and over 150 men are employed. Coleman is rapidly forging ahead as a shipping point.

THINKS WESTERN CANADA AHEAD

Of Washington, Oregon and California Financially, so
Says L. A. Manly

A representative of the MINER interviewed L. A. Manly on Monday. Mr. Manly has just returned from an extended trip to Reno and San Francisco. While at Reno he saw the great fight between Johnson and Jeffries.

Mr. Manly after looking over the situation in Washington, Oregon and California, thinks Western Canada has a shade the better of financial conditions and general prosperity. He stated that while out driving with one of the largest building contractors in San Francisco that he noted over one thousand tenement houses vacant. The contractor stated that times were not nearly as good as they were two years previous. Modern tenement houses were becoming more fashionable of late.

The wheat crop in the Sacramento valley is extremely good. In the Sacramento valley harvesting was already in progress. The farmers there use a machine in the field which cuts, binds, thrashes and sacks up the wheat ready for market. This machine requires thirty-six horses for power.

Some of these farmers discussed the advantages of Western Canada with Mr. Manly and they all seemed to be of one mind in declaring that Canada was the coming country of America. A large number from the Pacific states will emigrate to Canada next year. Over \$12,000,000 will be spent in railroad building in Oregon in the next two years, so declared J. D. Porter, of the firm of Porter Bros. & Welsh, railroad contractors.

Portland to day has more people on its streets than it had during the time of the Lewis-Clark exposition. Spokane is quiet owing to a shortage of fifty per cent in the wheat crop of Washington.

Grand Forks Wiped Out

Nelson, B.C., July 21--From the fire districts to-night reports are that at Sloan fires are raging fiercely. It is reported but not confirmed that Grand Forks is completely wiped out, and that Sandon is doomed. A furious fire is also reported to have wiped out Jaffray and Bayne's Lake off the map. It is impossible to present to obtain particulars. At Kaslo the fire is travelling rapidly and back-firing has been resorted to. At Moyie the fire is still causing anxiety, but at present the town is safe. The bodies of the four victims at Lucky Jim mine have been removed to Kaslo for burial. The air around Nelson is thick with smoke and forests north of the city are still blazing furiously. Fortunately the day has been calm.

If you want to be surprised look at the Co-Op window for prices.

At the Co-Op Store you can get Great suits at \$1.50. See the windows.

Soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is quickly relieved by the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is equally valuable for rheumatism and always gives quick relief. Sold By All Dealers.

The Dainty Smoker



Can find here smokes that will suit the taste exactly. Our stock contains everything from the most inexpensive brands of domestic CIGARS AND CIGARETTES to the finest imported goods. Carrying as we do, a great variety, we have no difficulty in meeting the requirements of the most fastidious smoker. The man who loves his pipe will find that we carry a fine line of

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T. W. Davies

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Phone 125 day or night

Coleman - Alberta

E. Disney

Contractor and Builder

Brick, Lime, Hard Wall
Plaster, Coast Flooring,
Mouldings, Doors and
Windows always on
hand.

Lumber of all Kinds



Her Perplexing Question
Should I wear a ring, locket, or chain? We have the perplexed jewelry buyers to come in and view splendid.

New Jewelry Stock
filled with surprises in beauty, design and price. We replenished this stock by taking advantage of a rare chance to secure a suitable stock at middle-of-the-season's prices. Buying now means beating bank interest. Jeweled rings, stick pins, brooches, high-grade watches, our guarantee with every sale.

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41 Meat Market

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Head Office:

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Markets in:

PINCHER CREEK Alberta
BELLEVUE
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BLAIRMORE
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and MICHEL, British Columbia

Choice Meats

... prompt delivery is our guarantee

The Coleman Grocery Co.

The right place where you get the right article at the right price

Don't neglect to take advantage of our big reduction Sale on Saturday and Monday

Warch for Dodgers

Hotel Coleman

W. H. Murr

Proprietor

Rates, \$2.00 per day.

Water Works, Steam Heat and Electric Light throughout

Steam Heated Sample Rooms

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—SUCCESSOR TO—

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Bakery and Confectionery STORE

The place to come for best Bread, Cakes, Confectionery Fruits and Canned Goods.

This Store will be made the most up-to-date Store of its kind in the Pass.

Grand Union Hotel

ADAM PATTERSON, Manager

Liquors imported direct from Europe

and guaranteed

Sparkling Wines
Scotch Whiskey
Brandy
Gin
Ports
Cherry

Special attention to working men

For Western Canada's Industrial Fair at Winnipeg, Manitoba, July 19 to 25, 1910, the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. party will have in effect special rates. For full particulars as to rates, limits, etc., apply to nearest Canadian Pacific ticket agent.

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T. B. BRANDON, Editor

Coleman, Friday July 22 1910

Forest Fires

It is most regrettable that we are faced with and surrounded by forest fires. The imminent danger of loss life and personal property is in itself a severe reminder that we cannot legislate too carefully in regard to personal losses by these sources. But probably the severest loss this year will be great depletion of our national forest reserves as well as timber limits. The losses already amount to millions and it is safe to say that the loss will be incalculable when we consider the moist-producing qualities of these forests. Our valleys and fertile plains have so far escaped the necessity of irrigation. In future irrigation alone will involve the spending of immense sums of money.

The law cannot be too drastic or severe in regard to the starting or spreading of forest fires. Carelessness in this case amounts to a serious crime and the courts should regard it as such.

EDITORIAL NOTES

How do you like a second-hand smoke?

No, we are not aspiring to be called "the smoky city" of Alberta.

Our Fire Brigade and apparatus was inspected Tuesday night and found to be in great shape.

The origin of the forest fires as far as we know, is due to a cigarette-smoker and a camp-cook. There may be an hundredth part of an excuse for the cook, but for the smoker, he's really past redemption.

The proposition of the Slavonians and Italians to have an organ of their own is unique to the West, but nevertheless a most helpful one to them. Not being able to read English they can glean the local news in their own language and thus keep abreast of the times.

The International is launching out on a splendid publicity campaign. This is extremely commendable. Photos of our business and industrial sections will appear in outside papers as well as our home paper. With our resources it would be a public waste to leave them untouched.

CORRESPONDENCE

Coleman, Alta.,
July 20, 1910
To the Editor of the MINER
Dear Sir,

Several weeks ago a letter appeared in your paper regarding the lack of interest in the Coleman Band, to this letter I would like to make a reply.

With the assistance of friends a benefit ball could easily be got up and the proceeds devoted to the band for music and instruments. Anyone who would like to assist with the same should communicate with Geo. Benson or the office of the COLEMAN MINER. Let us all get together. Thanking you,

I remain,
G. Benson

For the highest quality of goods at the lowest prices call at the Coleman Grocery.

Erection of Village into Town Municipality

Description of Boundaries of the Proposed Town of Coleman—Located on Section 8, Township 8, Range 4, West of 5th Meridian

Notice is hereby given, according to a resolution passed by the Council and approved by two-thirds of the ratepayers at a special meeting held on the 6th inst., that I will apply on behalf of the Village of Coleman to the Lieutenant Governor for the erection of the Village into a Town municipality with the limits including the following lands—

Beginning at the East quarter section corner of section 8, Township 8, Range 4, West of the 5th Meridian, as shown on registered plan of Coleman, No. 8204, registered in the Land Titles Office, Coleman on the 17th. May, 1905, thence N. 6 degrees 1 minute 30 seconds West following along the said section line 100 feet more or less to the Northern boundary of the townsite as shown on aforesaid registered plan of Coleman thence following the said Northern boundary S. 81 degrees 07 minutes W. 132 feet more or less, to the Western boundary of Central Avenue shown on the aforesaid plan thence following the prolongation of said Western boundary of Central Avenue N. 5 degrees 33 minutes E. 520 feet more or less to a point where the Northern boundary of a 10 foot lane in Block 29 intersects the Western boundary of aforesaid Central Avenue thence following said Northern boundary of a 10 foot lane S. 81 degrees 07 minutes W. through Blocks 29, 21 and 22 1257 ft. to a point thence N. 5 degrees 33 minutes W. 121 ft. until it intersects the Southern boundary of a Government surveyed road and through Section 8, thence following said Southern boundary of a Government surveyed road in a W. by S. direction 2402 feet thence S. 24 degrees 30 minutes W. 590 feet until it intersects the Eastern boundary of Government road allowance on west side of section 8, thence following said Eastern boundary of Government road allowance S. 6 degrees 1 minute 30 seconds E. 350 feet more or less to the Southern boundary of the right of way of the Canadian Pacific Railway thence following said boundary of Canadian Pacific Railway right-of-way through the Village of Coleman as shown on registered plan in an East-easterly direction until it intersects the East line of section 8, Township 8, Range 4, West of the 5th Meridian, thence N. 0 degrees 1 minute 30 seconds W. 15 feet to the corner of the said East line of section 8 to a point of beginning.

Dated at Coleman, in the Province of Alberta this 21st day of July 1910.
Alex Cameron
Chairman of Council

Funeral

V. Busceni, a miner at Bellevue was so badly injured in the mine there on Saturday last, that he died three hours later. Deceased was riding contrary to mine rules on cars when he jumped off and was jammed against the shaft timbers. He was buried at Passburg Rev. Father Carake officiated and T. W. Davies conducted the undertaking. Deceased leaves a widow and two children in Italy.

PRINTERS HAVE BOARD OF TRADE

At a meeting held in the board of trade rooms in this city on Monday there was organized a printers' board of trade for the Boundary and Kootenay, the object being to improve, in so far as possible, the present conditions of the printing trade in this part of the province. Practically every printing office in the Boundary and the Kootenay was represented, either by a delegate or by proxy, while the organization has the assurance of the support of every printing office in the territory named. The delegates present were: W. S. Stanley, Fernie; R. S. Garrett, F. J. Deane, Cranbrook; F. J. Smyth, Moyat; A. R. Babington, Trail; J. K. Johnson, Creston; W. G. Foster, W. H. Jones, Nelson. The first business of the meeting was the election of officers, the choice being as follows:

President—F. J. Smyth
First vice-president—W. H. Jones
Second vice-president—W. S. Stanley
Secretary-treasurer—W. G. Foster.

These officers will form the executive committee. After a day spent in discussion of various matters of interest to the trade, the gathering closed with a hearty vote of thanks to the board of trade for the use of their rooms, and to E. K. Beaton for a box of choice Kootenay cherries, the product of the ranch of J. E. Houghton of Crawford Bay.

The next meeting will be held six months hence at a time and place to be decided by the executive. Nelson News.

W. L. Ouimette

During the month of July we will conduct
A Stock Reducing Campaign
Which will make our store busier than ever

In every department you will find values individually attractive. Opportunities that you cannot afford to miss.

We intend to reduce the stock very materially during this month preparatory to our Semi Annual Inventory, July 30th.

Red Tickets will be attached to goods where the pruning knife has been applied to price.

Our usual guarantee goes with every sale "Money back if not satisfied." Read our Ad's carefully and you will learn many money saving opportunities.

A few examples of special prices are quoted in this Ad and from week to week other items will be mentioned which space does not permit to quote now.

Ladie's Waists

White and colored, regular
75 to \$1.25 each. Red Ticket
Price 45c

Curtains

Repp, Tapestry and Lace. Received a Severe Stock on the application of the Red Price Ticket. Curtains regularly \$12.50. Red Ticket Price \$8.00
6.50 " " " 5.00
4.50 " " " 3.50
3.00 " " " 2.00
2.50 " " " 1.20
1.50 " " " 1.00
Special Lace Curtains 35c and 70c a pair.

Men's Suits

Fifteen Men's Suits, good quality, fabric, good style, good workmanship, regularly 12.00 to 18.00. Red Ticket price \$8.75

Men's Soft Hats

30 only, regularly 3.00. Red Ticket price \$1.00

Dress Goods

8 pieces, regular 35 to 50c. Red Ticket price 25c
8 pieces regular 65 to 85c. Red Ticket price 45c

Towels

10 dozen regular 20c. Red Ticket price 10c

Men's Shirts

English Flannel 28 sizes 1 1/2 to 16 1/2 regular 2.00. Red Ticket price 75c

Men's Vests

15 Tweed vests, sizes 36 to 38 reg. 1.00 to 1.25. Red Ticket price 35c

Carpet Squares

Red Ticket price will induce you to buy
Brussels 90 by 120 regular 27.00. Red Ticket price \$20
Brussels 90 by 120 reg. 25.00. Red Ticket price \$19
Velvet 9 by 10 ft reg. 32.00. Red Ticket price \$25
Tapestry 6 by 10 ft reg. 14.50. Red Ticket price \$10
Tapestry Sofa Rug 5 1/2 by 7 ft reg. 7.50. Red Ticket price \$6

Pie Fruit

Peeled Peaches in gallon tins. Red Ticket price 35c
Peeled Peaches in gal. tins R.T. price 50c
Strawberries in gal. tins R.T. price 65c
Raspberries in gal. tins R.T. price 65c
Blue Plums in 2lb. tins R.T. price 2 or 25c

Dairy Butter

Good dairy Butter in 1 lb. boxes per box \$3.50
300 pounds choice Dairy Butter at 30c

Glass Sets

Butter Dish, Sugar Bowl, Spoon Holder and Cream Jug. Red Ticket price 10c

Japanese Matting

2 rolls regular 30 and 35. Red Ticket price 25c

Floor Oil Cloth

2 pieces, 2 yards wide, good pattern, good color, regular 80c yd. Red Ticket price 50c a yard

Watch Our Windows for
Red Ticket Prices

W. L. Ouimette
General Merchant

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A GENUINE UP TO DATE DRUG STORE

Opening August 1st, 1910.

Ground Floor Eagles' Hall, Opposite P.O.

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A Word to the Wise is Sufficient

With Our New Ice-Cream Parlor

We will be in a position to give you a service unexcelled anywhere

Everything in connection with the Soda Fountain will be absolutely

Sanitary, and Purity is our Motto

BUTTERCUP

Ice-Cream is unsurpassed and the very best we can buy for money

We will have Soda to please you, Soda you can trust because of extreme purity, palate pleasing, satisfying, genuine beverages that always invite you to **HAVE ANOTHER**

BUTTERCUP ICE-CREAM is holsum and we guarantee it

Call and see us on August 1st. and try one of our Tasty, Snappy, Soda Drinks

Your kind patronage during the past eight months is highly appreciated and we endeavor to give you
The very best possible service in the future

R. R. WEBB

Chemist and Druggist

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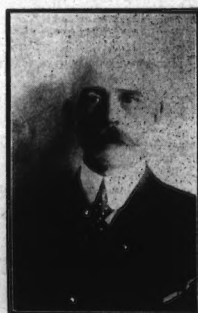
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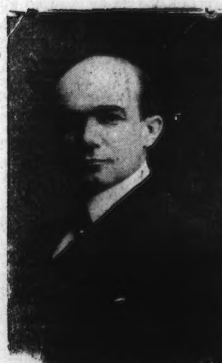
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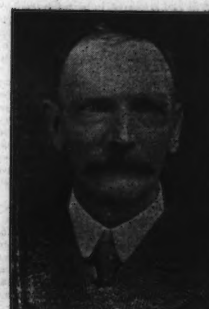
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H. Gato, Town Clerk



A. Morrison, Postmaster



L. A. Manly, Mem. Bd. of Trade



P. Willmot, Sec. School Board



Coleman Fire Brigade

Coleman's Progress

To the enterprise of Coleman's foremost citizens Coleman has at last attained the leading position of all the towns of the Pass. Through their untiring zeal the town is fast becoming an industrial centre.



Coleman's Six Room School

Several others whose cuts we have been unable to obtain but have helped materially to build up Coleman are: Wm. Evans, E. Holmes, J. W. Powell, Harry Smith, Henry James, R. R. Webb, H. G. Goodeve, J. M. Scott, W. Pearson, N. B. Finn, W. L. Bridgeford and many others.

Canadian Coal Consolidated Co., Limited

Miners and Shippers of Bituminous Coal. Three grades Screened, Mine Run and Slack
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Opinion on the Great Fight

In an interview with A. Paterson, who made a special trip to Reno we have the following story of the fight.

Mr. Paterson's own words are: "The trip to Reno is certainly a delightful one and especially that part where we crossed the Sierra Nevada between Truckee and Rosburgh. The grade here was very heavy, and the freight engines are of a new type, all being oil burners.

Each engine weighs 250 tons. They are differently constructed from other locomotives, in that the engines cab is directly in front. This arrangement can only be used in case of oil burners. The oil is piped from the tender around to the front of the engine. These engines are capable of doing the work of four ordinary engines.

Along the summit of the Sierra Nevada there are hundreds of snow sheds, and a watchman is stationed on a tower on a mountain, night and day to watch these sheds.

Reno is a beautiful city of 15,000 people with a splendid street car service. The houses which are of brick are all well built. The altitude is about the same as Coleman. The people of Reno are liberal minded and generous. They never attempted to raise the price of food or refreshments. You can buy a meal cheaper in Reno than in Spokane.

Coming to the fight, it was a dismal failure from the standpoint of Jeffries' supporters. They expected Jeffries to win even after the third round. At this time the betting was 2-1 on Jeffries while previous to entering the ring it was 10-6. Nat Goodwin lost \$10,000, Stanley Ketchell won \$6,000, Sam Langford and Woodman lost \$3,500 while Fitzsimmons lost a large amount.

From the Johnson standpoint the fight went just as they figured it six months ago. They figured then that Jeffries could never lay a glove on Johnson the last day he ever saw that to be advantageous. This proved the case.

There was nothing doing in the first round, but a clinch or two. In the second round the fight started. Johnson does some fighting with the right hand which Jeff cleverly ducked. After the third round Johnson began with a left uppercut which was doing damage from the time he started to use it. Jeff's head went back every time. This left uppercut was used in clinches, Jeff tried an uppercut in clinches but he was too slow. His hand went up a foot and a half above Johnson's head.

Johnson kept this work up till the 15th round when he landed a short uppercut hook which dropped Jeff to the floor. He rolled through the ropes almost into the laps of the newspapermen who pushed him back. He was allowed to get 50 feet again as a man cannot be counted out when through the ropes. Johnson swung his right and he went down and as he raised again Corbett and Berger threw up the sponge. This counts on second stop as a knockout.

From Johnson's standpoint it was simply a workout. After the fight there were Jeffries men who said that Johnson could have gone on and defeated all of Jeff's seconds, including Jim Corbett and if necessary Abe Attell who weighs 122 lbs.

Johnson treated the fight as a joke after the third round.

He was laughing and talking all the time. One fellow asked him to have a drink, to which he replied "That he had enough on hand now." It is the opinion of all that if Johnson had extended himself he could have put Jeff out in five rounds. Johnson fully demonstrated that blocking is more effective than footwork.

The Forest Fires

The forest fires are getting closer each day. One fire which originated at Natal B. C. from a cigarette stub has been slowly making its way around the foot of Crow's Nest mountain and is now on the edge of the town. Another fire which originated in the sawyers' camp at South Fork is doing its worst in the south-west corner. Another fire will penetrate to the boundaries of Coleman in a matter of days. On Wednesday night over 125 volunteers went out and fought the fires. The atmosphere is heavy with a heavy smoke. For the last night the town has put on a night watchman. So far all is well, and one splendid forest which has been rapidly depleted.

TAKE WARNING

Don't make the mistake others have made. J. Holmes uses the only guaranteed pure oak sole leather in Coleman this leather is tanned by the Anglo Canadian Leather Co. it is used by the leading shoe manufacturers of Canada remember the old proverb once bit twice shy. Take your shoe repairing to J. Holmes and be sure of the best quality of leather as well as the neatest workmanship at union prices. Note the new address three doors east of the Opera House.

VERY GOOD CROPS IN MEDICINE VALLEY

D. S. Smith, a large rancher of the Medicine Valley, twenty miles west of Red Deer, arrived in the city yesterday with a car load of horses from Ashcroft, B. C., which he will run on his ranch near Ewatts. Mr. Smith purchased the horses in the Chilifoot district and drove them about 150 miles for shipment.

Mr. Smith said to the Albertan last night that his year he broke 100 acres of land on his ranch, and sowed two hundred acres of it in the fall wheat and rye, which when he left home looked especially good. The fall wheat appeared early in the spring to have been winter killed in spots, but it recovered with the splendid growing weather, and gives promise of a good yield.

The balance of the land he sowed to oats which ten days ago when he saw them last, were waving in the wind, and if they ripen before frost comes will give a very heavy yield. The Medicine Valley around Ewatts, he says, is one of the finest sections of Alberta for grain raising and mixed farming. The Alberta Central railway will run right through the valley a little north of Ewatts and on to Rocky Mountain House, and will give railway facilities to a large area of very fine country which is thickly settled with prosperous farmers and ranchers.

At Ewatts there is already a prosperous community with two general stores, a blacksmith shop, a cannery, school house, two churches which only require a railway to make it a busy business centre.

HOSE

Now is the time when you need to protect your premises from fire. We have the hose which has been tested to stand the town pressure.

Our cheap sale of crockery still continues. Remember now is your chance for good goods at a snap.

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